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Dear Mr. Chairman and Members of the Agriculture, Livestock, and Irrigation Committee,

My name is Bethany Ticknor, and I am 13 years old. I oppose Senate Bill 415.

As you know, this resolution would give Montana a state insect. But Montana really already has a state insect, the Mourning Cloak butterfly, another one is unnecessary. Montana currently has 24 state symbols and emblems. These are already enough symbols to represent Montana as a special and unique state.

Please vote no on SB 415 since it is unnecessary legislation.

Thank you for your time, Bethany Ticknor ticknortribe@msn.com